



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Inventor application of: Masao Fukuda, et al.

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Examiner: C. R. Harmon

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Title: PACKAGING MACHINE

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed January 22, 2007 finally rejecting Claims 3 and 18.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

Appeal Fee: ☐ \$250.00 (Small Entity) ☒ \$500.00 (Large Entity)

The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply:

☐ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

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If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor

☒ Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

Total Fee Due

Notice of Appeal Fee	\$500
Extension Fee (if any)	NA
Total Fee Due	\$500

☒ Enclosed is Check No. 13446 in the amount of \$500.

☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500388, (Order No. ISHDP165D1).

Respectfully submitted,  
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